ANSWER 1 OF 58 CAPLUS COPYRIGHT 2003 ACS on STN

ACCESSION NUMBER:

1999:795665 CAPLUS

DOCUMENT NUMBER:

132:30824

TITLE:

Pharmaceutical composition with tumor

necrosis factor-.alpha. or other biological response modifier and 2-methoxyestrone-3-0-sulphamate for inhibition of estrone sulphatase and treatment of

cancer

INVENTOR (S):

Reed, Michael John; Potter, Barry Victor Lloyd

Sterix Limited, UK PATENT ASSIGNEE(S): PCT Int. Appl., 63 pp.

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CODEN: PIXXD2

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The compn. comprises a sulfamate compd., e.g. 2-methoxyestrone-3-0-

sulfamate, and a biol. response modifier, e.g., TNF. The compn. is useful for the prevention and/or treatment of cancer.

REFERENCE COUNT: 14

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ANSWER 2 OF 58 CAPLUS COPYRIGHT 2003 ACS on STN

ACCESSION NUMBER:

1999:736476 CAPLUS

DOCUMENT NUMBER:

131:346535

TITLE:

Use of neomycin for treating angiogenesis-related

diseases

INVENTOR(S):

Hu, Guo-Fu; Vallee, Bert L.

PATENT ASSIGNEE(S):

The Endowment for Research In Human Biology, Inc., USA

SOURCE: PCT Int. Appl., 74 pp.

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     The present invention is directed to using neomycin or an analog thereof
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     as a therapeutic agent to treat angiogenesis-related diseases, which are
     characterized by excessive, undesired or inappropriate angiogenesis or
     proliferation of endothelial cells. The present invention is also
     directed to pharmaceutical compns. comprising: (a) neomycin or an analog
     and, optionally, (b) another anti-angiogenic agent or an anti-
     neoplastic agent. The present invention is further directed to a
     method for screening neomycin analogs having anti-angiogenic activity. A
     preferred embodiment of the invention relates to using neomycin to treat
     subjects having such diseases. A dose of 20 ng neomycin/embryo or higher
     completely inhibited angiogenin-induced angiogenesis in the
     chorioallantoic membrane (CAM) assay. Neomycin inhibits
     angiogenin-induced angiogenesis mainly through inhibition of nuclear
     translocation of angiogenin.
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                         132:146811
                         DNA damage induced by catecholestrogens in the
TITLE:
                         presence of copper (II): generation of reactive oxygen
                         species and enhancement by NADH
AUTHOR(S):
                         Thibodeau, P. A.; Paquette, B.
                         Faculty of Medicine, Department of Radiobiology,
CORPORATE SOURCE:
                         Universite de Sherbrooke, Sherbrooke, QC, Can.
                         Free Radical Biology & Medicine (1999),
SOURCE:
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LANGUAGE:
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     Certain estrogen metabolites are involved in carcinogenesis and the
     development of resistance to methotrexate (MTX). In this study, the
     authors detd. whether these well-established biol. effects correlate with
     the relative efficiency of several estrogen metabolites to induce DNA
     strand breaks in the presence of copper, and investigated the potential
     enhancing effect of reduced NAD (NADH). DNA strand breaks induced by
     estradiol metabolites were measured by the conversion of supercoiled phage
     .phi.X-174 RF1 DNA to open circular and linear forms. The most active
     catecholestrogens were the 4-hydroxy derivs., which produced about 2.5
     times more DNA double strand breaks than the 2-hydroxy derivs., while
     estradiol and 16.alpha.-hydroxyestrone were inactive. In addn., the
     authors' results show that 4-hydroxyestradiol (4-OHE2) at physiol. concns.
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was capable of exhibiting DNA cleaving activity. The formation of these

catecholestrogen-induced DNA strand breaks was assocd. with the utilization of oxygen and the generation of H2O2, because catalase

inhibited the DNA cleaving activity of 4-OHE2. Interestingly, the authors also obsd. that NADH enhanced the induction of DNA strands breaks by 4-OHE2/Cu(II), probably by perpetuating the redox cycle between the quinone and the semiquinone forms of the catecholestrogen. In conclusion, this study demonstrated that the relative efficiency of 2-, and 4-hydroxyestrogen in carcinogenesis and for the enhancement of MTX resistance correlates with their relative capability to induce DNA strand breaks. To inhibit these estrogen-mediated biol. effects, it may be important to develop different strategies to block the prodn. of reactive oxygen species by the catecholestrogen-redox cycle.

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1999:438407 CAPLUS

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CORPORATE SOURCE:

131:237597

TITLE:

Inhibition of tumor necrosis factor .alpha.-stimulated aromatase activity by microtubule-stabilizing agents, paclitaxel and

2-methoxyestradiol

AUTHOR(S):

Purohit, A.; Singh, A.; Ghilchik, M. W.; Reed, M. J. Endocrinology and Metabolic Medicine, Imperial College

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Biochemical and Biophysical Research Communications (

1999), 261(1), 214-217

CODEN: BBRCA9; ISSN: 0006-291X

PUBLISHER:

Academic Press

DOCUMENT TYPE:

Journal

LANGUAGE: English

The aromatase enzyme, which converts androstenedione to estrone, regulates the availability of estrogen to support the growth of hormone-dependent breast tumors. Cytokines, such as interleukin 6 (IL-6) and tumor necrosis factor .alpha. (TNF.alpha.) or prostaglandin E2 (PGE2), can stimulate aromatase activity. These factors may originate from cells of the immune system that infiltrate breast tumors. Paclitaxel, which is used in the treatment of breast cancer, stabilizes microtubules and has previously been shown to rapidly down-regulate TNF-receptors on human macrophages. The endogenous estrogen metabolite, 2-methoxyestradiol (2-meOE2), also acts to stabilize microtubules. In this study, we have examd. the ability of paclitaxel or 2-meOE2 to antagonize TNF.alpha.-stimulated aromatase activity in stromal fibroblasts derived from normal or malignant breast tissues. Paclitaxel inhibited basal and TNF.alpha.-stimulated aromatase activities by 88% and 91% resp. 2-MeOE2 also reduced basal and TNF.alpha.-stimulated aromatase activities by 46% and 56% resp. Both paclitaxel and 2-meOE2 also inhibited stimulation of aromatase activity by IL-6 plus its sol. receptor and PGE2. The 16.alpha.-hydroxylated deriv. of 2-meoE2 and 2-meOE3, which does not bind to microtubules, was less effective at inhibiting TNF.alpha.-stimulated aromatase activity. Increased 2-hydroxylation of estrogens, and subsequent formation of their 2-methoxy derivs., may be assocd. with a reduced risk of breast cancer. It is possible that the pathway of estrogen metab. may influence the ability of stromal cells to respond to cytokine stimulation. (c) 1999 Academic Press.

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ANSWER 14 OF 58 CAPLUS COPYRIGHT 2003 ACS on STN

ACCESSION NUMBER:

1998:728094 CAPLUS

DOCUMENT NUMBER:

130:90647

TITLE:

An agent that increases tumor suppressor transgene product coupled with systemic transgene delivery inhibits growth of metastatic lung

cancer in vivo

AUTHOR (S):

Kataoka, Masafumi; Schumacher, Guido; Cristiano, Richard J.; Atkinson, E. Neely; Roth, Jack A.;

Mukhopadhyay, Tapas

CORPORATE SOURCE:

Section of Thoracic Molecular Oncology, Department of Thoracic and Cardiovascular Surgery, The University of

Texas M. D. Anderson Cancer Center, Houston, TX,

77030, USA

SOURCE:

Cancer Research (1998), 58(21), 4761-4765

CODEN: CNREA8; ISSN: 0008-5472

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Journal English

AΒ Low levels of gene expression following systemic delivery have impaired the effectiveness of tumor suppressor gene replacement in treating metastases. We asked whether combined treatment with 2-methoxyestradiol (2-Me), which increases levels of wild-type p53 protein in cancer cells, and the systemic administration of an adenoviral vector expressing wild-type p53 (Ad-p53) would inhibit the growth of human metastatic lung cancer cells in vivo. The simultaneous administration of p53 and 2-Me resulted in a greater than additive redn. with the lung colony count reduced to 33% of its control value. These results suggest that the synergistic effect of 2-Me and Ad-p53 in combination treatment may have application in the systemic treatment of cancer.

REFERENCE COUNT:

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ANSWER 15 OF 58 CAPLUS COPYRIGHT 2003 ACS on STN

ACCESSION NUMBER:

1998:369884 CAPLUS

DOCUMENT NUMBER:

129:90490

TITLE:

Is 2-methoxyestradiol an endogenous estrogen metabolite that inhibits mammary carcinogenesis?

AUTHOR(S):

Zhu, Bao Ting; Conney, Allan H.

CORPORATE SOURCE:

Laboratory for Cancer Research, Department of Chemical

Biology, College of Pharmacy, Rutgers-The State

University of New Jersey, Piscataway, NJ, 08854-8020,

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CODEN: CNREA8; ISSN: 0008-5472

PUBLISHER:

American Association for Cancer Research

DOCUMENT TYPE: Journal; General Review

LANGUAGE:

English

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AB A review, with 172 refs. Catechol estrogens (2- or 4-hydroxyestradiol and 2- or 4-hydroxyestrone) are chem. reactive estrogen metabolites that are O-methylated to less polar monomethyl ethers by catechol-Omethyltransferase, an enzyme present in many tissues such as the liver, kidney, brain, placenta, uterus, and mammary gland. In the present report, the authors review recent studies on the antitumorigenic and antiangiogenic effects of exogenously administered 2-methoxyestradiol in vitro and in vivo. The authors also discuss data that suggest that endogenous formation of 2-methoxyestradiol (and its 2-hydroxyestradiol precursor) may have a protective effect on estrogen-induced cancers in target organs. Although the mol. mechanism of action of 2-methoxyestradiol is not clear, the authors suggest that some unique effects of 2-methoxyestradiol may be mediated by a specific intracellular effector or receptor that is refractory to the parent hormone, estradiol. Addnl. research is needed to identify factors that regulate the metabolic formation and disposition of 2-methoxyestradiol in liver and in target cells and to evaluate the effects of modulating 2-methoxyestradiol formation on estrogen-induced carcinogenesis.

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L5 ANSWER 17 OF 58 CAPLUS COPYRIGHT 2003 ACS on STN

ACCESSION NUMBER: 1998:507828 CAPLUS

DOCUMENT NUMBER: 129:212069

TITLE: Effect of steroid hormones and retinoids on the

formation of capillary-like tubular structures of human microvascular endothelial cells in fibrin matrixes is related to urokinase expression

AUTHOR(S): Lansink, Mirian; Koolwijk, Pieter; Van Hinsbergh,

Victor: Kooistra, Teake

CORPORATE SOURCE: Gaubius Laboratory TNO-PG, Leiden, 2301 CE, Neth.

SOURCE: Blood (1998), 92(3), 927-938 CODEN: BLOOAW; ISSN: 0006-4971

PUBLISHER: W. B. Saunders Co.

DOCUMENT TYPE: Journal LANGUAGE: English

Angiogenesis, the formation of new capillary blood vessels, is a feature of a variety of pathol. processes. To study the effects of a specific group of hormones (all ligands of the steroid/retinoid/thyroid hormone receptor superfamily) on the angiogenic process in humans, the authors have used a model system in which human microvascular endothelial cells from foreskin (hMVEC) are cultured on top of a human fibrin matrix in the presence of basic fibroblast growth factor and tumor necrosis factor-.alpha.. This model mimics the in vivo situation where fibrin appears to be a common component of the matrix present at sites of chronic inflammation and tumor stroma. The authors' results show that testosterone and dexamethasone are strong inhibitors and all-trans retinoic acid (at-RA) and 9-cis retinoic acid (9-cis RA) are potent stimulators of the formation of capillary-like tubular structures. effects are mediated by their resp. nuclear hormone receptors as demonstrated by the use of specific synthetic receptor agonists and antagonists. 17.beta.-Estradiol, progesterone, and 1,25-dihydroxyvitamin D3 did not affect or only weakly affected in vitro angiogenesis, which may be related to the lack of significant nuclear receptor expression. Although hMVEC express both thyroid hormone receptors .alpha. and .beta., no effect of thyroid hormone on tube formation was found. The effects of testosterone, dexamethasone, at-RA, and 9-cis RA on tube formation were accompanied by parallel changes in urokinase-type plasminogen activator (u-PA) expression, at both mRNA and antigen levels. Exogenous suppletion of the medium with single chain u-PA enhances tube formation in the in vitro model, whereas quenching of u-PA activity (but not of tissue-type plasminogen activator activity) or of u-PA binding to u-PA receptor by specific antibodies suppressed basal and retinoid-stimulated tube formation. Moreover, addn. of scu-PA to testosterone- or dexamethasone-treated hMVEC restored the suppressed angiogenic activity for a substantial part. Aprotinin, an inhibitor of plasmin activity, completely inhibited tube formation, indicating that the proteolytic properties of the u-PA/u-PA receptor complex are crucial in this process. The authors' results show that steroid hormones (testosterone and dexamethasone) and retinoids have strong, but opposite effects on tube formation in a human in vitro model reflecting pathol. angiogenesis in the presence of fibrin and inflammatory mediators. These effects can be explained by hormone-receptor-mediated changes in u-PA expression, resulting in enhanced local proteolytic capacity of the u-PA/u-PA receptor complex.

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ACCESSION NUMBER: 1998:168790 CAPLUS

DOCUMENT NUMBER: 128:281273

TITLE: Differential expression of CYP1A1 and CYP1B1 in human

breast epithelial cells and breast tumor

cells

AUTHOR(S): Spink, David C.; Spink, Barbara C.; Cao, Joan Q.;

DePasquale, Joseph A.; Pentecost, Brian T.; Fasco,

Michael J.; Li, Ying; Sutter, Thomas R.

CORPORATE SOURCE: New York State Department of Health, Wadsworth Center,

Albany, NY, 12201-0509, USA

SOURCE: Carcinogenesis (1998), 19(2), 291-298

CODEN: CRNGDP; ISSN: 0143-3334

PUBLISHER: Oxford University Press

DOCUMENT TYPE: Journal LANGUAGE: English

Human cytochromes P 450 1A1 (CYP1A1) and P 450 1B1 (CYP1B1) catalyze the metabolic activation of a no. of procarcinogens and the hydroxylation of 17.beta.-estradiol (E2) at the C-2 and C-4 positions, resp. The arom. hydrocarbon receptor (AhR) agonist 2,3,7,8-tetrachlorodibenzo-p-dioxin (TCDD) has a marked effect on estrogen metab. in MCF-7 breasttumor cells by induction of these two enzymes. To investigate whether induction of CYP1A1 and CYP1B1 by AhR agonists and the assocd. increase in E2 metab. are common to all breast epithelial cells and breast-tumor cells, we detd. the effects of TCDD on E2 metab., and CYP1A1 and CYP1B1 mRNA levels in a series of non-tumor -derived breast epithelial (184A1 and MCF-10A) and breast-tumor (MCF-7, T-47D, ZR-75-1, BT-20, MDA-MB-157, MDA-MB-231 and MDA-MB-436) cell lines. In 184A1 cells, which did not express detectable estrogen receptor (ER) .alpha. mRNA, CYP1A1 mRNA and activity were induced by TCDD, and enhanced E2 metab. in TCDD-treated cells was predominantly E2 2-hydroxylation. In MCF-10A, MCF-7, T-47D, ZR-75-1 and BT-20 cells, which expressed varying levels of ER.alpha. mRNA, both CYP1A1 and CYP1B1 mRNA levels and rates of both E2 2- and 4-hydroxylation were highly elevated following exposure to TCDD. In MDA-MB-157, MDA-MB-231 and MDA-MB-436 cells, which did not express detectable ER.alpha. mRNA and generally displayed fibroblastic or mesenchymal rather than epithelial morphol., CYP1B1 induction was favored, and the rate of E2 4-hydroxylation exceeded that of 2-hydroxylation in TCDD-treated cells. These results show that breast epithelial cells and tumor cells vary widely with regard to AhR-mediated CYP1A1 and CYP1B1 induction, suggesting that factors in addn. to the AhR regulate CYP1A1 and CYP1B1 gene expression. In these cell lines, significant CYP1A1 inducibility was restricted to cultures displaying epithelial morphol., whereas CYP1B1 inducibility was obsd. in cells of both epithelial and mesenchymal morphol.

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L5 ANSWER 20 OF 58 CAPLUS COPYRIGHT 2003 ACS on STN

ACCESSION NUMBER: 1998:516136 CAPLUS

DOCUMENT NUMBER: 129:211854

TITLE: Superinduction of wild-type p53 protein after

2-methoxyestradiol treatment of Ad5p53-transduced

cells induces tumor cell apoptosis

AUTHOR(S): Mukhopadhyay, Tapas; Roth, Jack A.

CORPORATE SOURCE: Section of Thoracic Molecular Oncology, Department of

Thoracic, The University of Texas M.D. Anderson Cancer

Center, Houston, TX, 77030, USA Oncogene (1998), 17(2), 241-246

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PUBLISHER: Stockton Press

DOCUMENT TYPE: Journal LANGUAGE: English

SOURCE:

AB Because 2-methoxyestradiol (2-MeOE2) induces and stabilizes wild-type p53 protein (wt p53) in human lung cancer cell lines posttranscriptionally, we sought to study its effects on Ad5p53-transduced lung cancer cell lines at a low multiplicity of infection (1 MOI). Treating these cells with 2-MeOE2 resulted in superinduction of wt p53 protein expression followed by apoptosis, as shown by terminal deoxynucleotidyl transferase (TdT) staining, and upregulation of wt p53 expression, as shown by Western blot anal. When transduced with Ad5p53

alone at 1 MOI, the cell lines grew rapidly. Moreover, adenoviral-vector-mediated p53 gene transfer followed by 2-MeOE2 treatment caused 80% growth inhibition in the cell lines regardless of their p53 status. Thus, p53 superinduction and apoptosis after 2-MeOE2 treatment in Ad5p53-transduced cells appears to be a unique strategy with significant implications for cancer gene therapy.

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L5 ANSWER 21 OF 58 CAPLUS COPYRIGHT 2003 ACS on STN

ACCESSION NUMBER: 1998:778968 CAPLUS

DOCUMENT NUMBER: 130:105451

TITLE: Inhibition of normal and experimental angiotumor

endothelial cell proliferation and cell cycle

progression by 2-methoxyestradiol

AUTHOR(S): Reiser, F.; Way, D.; Bernas, M.; Witte, M.; Witte, C.

CORPORATE SOURCE: Department of Surgery, The University of Arizona,

Tucson, AZ, 85724, USA

SOURCE: Proceedings of the Society for Experimental Biology

and Medicine (1998), 219(3), 211-216

CODEN: PSEBAA; ISSN: 0037-9727

PUBLISHER: Blackwell Science, Inc.

DOCUMENT TYPE: Journal LANGUAGE: English

With rapid growth and metab., aggressive cancers require an extensive vascular network, termed tumor angiogenesis. The body produces a variety of natural angiogenic inhibitors, among which is the mammalian estrogen metabolite, 2-methoxyestradiol (2-MeOE2). In this study, we compared the effects of 2-MeOE2 on a human umbilical vein cell line (HUVEC-C) and on an immortal, angiotumor-producing rat sinusoidal endothelial cell line (RSE-1). In vitro, the effects of varying concns. of 2-MeOE2 from 0.01-100.0 .mu.M were measured with cell counts and compared to control cells. HUVEC-C had an ED50 .apprx.3.5 .mu.M with .apprx.27% inhibition of cell growth whereas RSE-1 had an ED50 .apprx.2.2 .mu.M with .apprx.50% inhibition of cell growth compared with controls. The lowest concn. with maximal effect was 10.0 .mu.M 2-MeOE2 for both cell lines. Using this concn., flow cytometric anal. of cell cycles was performed with propidium iodide stained DNA of HUVEC-C and RSE-1 at 24 and 48 h. Both demonstrated a significant block at G2M of the cell cycle. At 48 h, HUVEC-C had 32% of cells in G2M (control = 9% G2M), and RSE-1 had 36% of cells in G2M (control = 18% G2M). These findings demonstrate a strong in vitro antiproliferative effect of 2-MeOE2 on normal dividing endothelial as well as angiotumor cells mediated through a cell cycle-specific block at G2M. The antiendothelial, antiangiotumor effect of 2-MeOE2 supports its potential as a therapeutic agent against solid organ cancers, benign or malignant vascular growths, and other pathol. states dependent on angiogenesis.

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ACCESSION NUMBER: 1998:498999 CAPLUS

DOCUMENT NUMBER: 129:118020

TITLE: 2-methoxyestradiol induces p53 independent apoptosis

and inhibits growth of lung metastases of

pancreatic cancer

Schumacher, Guido; Kataoka, M.; Roth, J. A.; AUTHOR (S):

Mukhopadhyay, T.

CORPORATE SOURCE: Dep. Thoracic Cardiovasc. Surgery, M. D. Anderson

Cancer Center, University Texas, Houston, TX, 77030,

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Forschung (1998) 49-52

CODEN: CFEKA7; ISSN: 0303-6227

PUBLISHER: Springer-Verlag

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The inhibiting effect of 2-methoxyestradiol (2-ME) on pancreatic AB cancer was studied in vitro and in nude mice. In 3 out of 4 cell lines, 2 .mu.M 2-ME induced 50-90% growth inhibition after 48 h treatment. Under these conditions, 37-97% of the cells of these 3 lines underwent apoptotic cell death. Since all cell lines used harbor a p53 mutation, this apoptosis was p53 independent. The cell line MIAPaCa-2 was used for the in vivo-expt. After a daily oral administration of 1 mg 2-ME for 3 wk, the no. of lung metastases was decreased by 59%. No signs of toxicity were seen.

ANSWER 24 OF 58 CAPLUS COPYRIGHT 2003 ACS on STN

ACCESSION NUMBER: 1999:40831 CAPLUS

DOCUMENT NUMBER: 130:177731

TITLE: 2-Methoxyestradiol, an endogenous metabolite of

17.beta.-estradiol, inhibits adipocyte proliferation

AUTHOR (S): Pico, Catalina; Puigserver, Pere; Oliver, Paula;

Palou, Andreu

CORPORATE SOURCE: Laboratori de Biologia Molecular, Nutricio i

Biotecnologia, Departament de Biologia Fonamental i

Ciencies de la Salut, Universitat de les Illes

Balears, Palma de Mallorca, Spain

SOURCE: Molecular and Cellular Biochemistry (1998),

189(1&2), 1-7

CODEN: MCBIB8; ISSN: 0300-8177

PUBLISHER: Kluwer Academic Publishers

DOCUMENT TYPE: Journal LANGUAGE: English

The effects of 2-methoxyestradiol (2ME), a naturally occurring mammalian metabolite of 17.beta.-estradiol, on adipocyte growth has been investigated in mouse brown adipose tissue precursor cells developed in primary culture. 2ME inhibits brown adipocyte proliferation in a dose-response manner (IC50 = 1.7 .times. 10-6M for DNA synthesis), with much higher potency than its hormone precursor 17.beta.-estradiol, and cells acquire the typical differentiated morphol. - more round with a higher content of triglycerides. 2ME causes similar effects in the immortal brown adipocyte tumor-derived hibernoma cell line HIB 1B and the immortal 3T3-F442A white adipocyte line. These findings suggest a possible role for 2ME in adipocyte proliferation, and probably in the differentiation process, entering the cells in the adipogenic program.

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ACCESSION NUMBER: 1997:483454 CAPLUS

DOCUMENT NUMBER: 127:91017

TITLE: Method and composition for treatment of pathological

conditions associated with angiogenesis

INVENTOR (S): Fotsis, Theodore; Adlercreutz, Herman; Schweigerer,

Lothar

PATENT ASSIGNEE(S): Germany

SOURCE: U.S., 10 pp., Cont.-in-part of U.S. Ser. No. 84,969,

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The present invention relates to a method and a compn. for the treatment of pathol. conditions assocd. with enhanced angiogenesis. The method comprises administering 2-methoxyestradiol to a subject in need of such treatment. 2-Methoxyestradiol also has potent pharmacol. properties in the treatment of solid tumors.

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ACCESSION NUMBER: 1997:122095 CAPLUS

DOCUMENT NUMBER: 126:207607

TITLE: Induction of apoptosis in human lung cancer

cells after wild-type p53 activation by

methoxyestradiol

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2-Methoxyestradiol (2-MeOE2) treatment caused significant growth inhibition of H460 and A549 human lung cancer cell lines which contain wild-type p53. However, 2-MeOE2 had a little effect on the p53 neg. H358 and p53 mutated H322 cell lines. Western blot anal. indicated that 2-MeOE2 treatment resulted in an eightfold increase in the endogenous wild-type p53 protein, while the level of the mutant p53 protein remained unchanged. TdT staining indicated that following 2-MeOE2-mediated increases in wild-type p53 protein, cells bypass the G1-S checkpoint of the cell cycle with 30 to 40% undergoing apoptosis. Introduction of anti-sense wt-p53 into wt-p53 cells abrogated the 2-MeOE2 effect. A significant portion of lung cancer retains the wild-type p53 gene therefore, 2-MeOE2 may have therapeutic application.

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ACCESSION NUMBER: 1998:10247 CAPLUS

DOCUMENT NUMBER: 128:97804

TITLE: The mammalian metabolite, 2-methoxyestradiol, affects

P53 levels and apoptosis induction in transformed

cells but not in normal cells

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PUBLISHER: Elsevier Science Ltd.

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The endogenous metabolite, 2-methoxyestradiol (2ME), is an inhibitor of tubulin polymn. and is therefore toxic to dividing fast-growing tumor cells. Transformed cells are not equally susceptible to the effects of 2ME. In this study the effects of 1-2 .mu.M doses of 2ME on cell cycle progression, apoptosis induction and on p53 levels were evaluated using flow cytometry in cells with different p53 status. effect of 2ME was seen in normal human skin fibroblast strain HSF43 with wild-type (wt) p53. However, in SV40 T antigen transformed HSF43 cells (line E8T4), 2ME caused a prominent G2/M arrest, with subsequent micronuclei formation followed by apoptosis. Increased p53 levels were present in the G2/M cells. The results suggest that 2ME, being a microtubule poison, may release the bound p53 from T antigen, and that this p53 may enhance the apoptotic effects. Two lymphoblast cell lines derived from the same donor, TK6, expressing low levels of wt p53, and WTK1, expressing high levels of mutant p53, showed similar moderate responses to 2ME at 37.degree.C. The effects included enhanced apoptosis and a modest G2/M block. No increase in p53 levels was seen. However, at the permissive temp. of 30.degree.C marked increases in apoptosis and a prominent G2/M-phase block, similar to that seen in the E8T4 cells, were present in the WTK1 cells, indicating that the high levels of mutant p53 have now become functional, enhancing the apoptotic effects initiated by 2ME.

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ACCESSION NUMBER: 1997:39755 CAPLUS

DOCUMENT NUMBER: 126:127078

TITLE: Inhibition of angiogenesis and breast cancer

in mice by the microtubule inhibitors

2-methoxyestradiol and taxol

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2-Methoxyestradiol (2-ME), an endogenous estrogen metabolite which disrupts microtubule function, has been shown to inhibit proliferating cells in vitro and suppress certain murine tumors in vivo. In vitro screening has detd. that breast cancer cell lines are most sensitive to inhibition by 2-ME. Addnl., 2-ME has been shown to inhibit angiogenesis in vitro. We tested whether 2-ME suppresses cytokine-induced angiogenesis in vivo and inhibits growth of a human breast carcinoma in severe combined immunodeficient mice. A model of basic fibroblast growth factor (bFGF) and vascular endothelial growth factor (VEGF)-induced corneal neovascularization in C57BL/6 mice was used to evaluate the antiangiogenic effects of 2-ME and other microtubule inhibitors such as Taxol, vincristine, and colchicine. 2-ME (150 mg/kg p.o.) inhibited bFGF and VEGF-induced neovascularization by 39% and 54%, resp. Taxol (6 mg/kg i.p.) inhibited bFGF and VEGF-induced neovascularization by 45% and 37%, resp. Vincristine (0.2 mg/kg i.p.) and colchicine (0.25 mg/kg i.p.) had no effect. Treatment with 2-ME (75 mg/kg p.o.) for 1 mo suppressed the growth of a human breast carcinoma in mice by 60% without toxicity. Recognition of the antiangiogenic and antitumor properties of 2-ME and

taxol may be crucial in planning clin. applications to angiogenesis-dependent diseases.

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ACCESSION NUMBER: 1997:127459 CAPLUS

DOCUMENT NUMBER: 126:126928

TITLE: Treatment and prevention of prostatic disease,

including prostate cancer and benign

prostatic hyperplasia, with compounds binding to sex

hormone-binding globulin (SHBG), and method for

therapeutic compound identification

INVENTOR(S): Smith, Roy G.; Rosner, William; Nakhla, Atif M. PATENT ASSIGNEE(S): Merck and Co., Inc., USA; St. Luke's/Roosevelt Hospital Center; Smith, Roy G.; Rosner, William;

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AB A method for treating and preventing benign prostatic hyperplasia (BPH) and prostatic carcinoma involves administering a therapeutically effective amt. of a compd. which binds to SHBG and antagonizes the SHBG-mediated effects of both estradiol and 5.alpha.-androstan-3.alpha.,17.beta.-diol by preventing the binding of estradiol and 5.alpha.-androstan-3.alpha.,17.beta.-diol. Also disclosed are the compds. which bind SHBG and prevent the binding of estradiol and 5.alpha.-androstan-3.alpha.,17.beta.-diol, as well as a method of finding compds. which bind to SHBG and prevent the binding of estradiol.

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ACCESSION NUMBER: 1996:446732 CAPLUS

DOCUMENT NUMBER: 125:96100

TITLE: Monofunctional and/or polyfunctional polylysine

conjugates for treatment of neural disorders, autoimmune diseases, and proliferative diseases

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PATENT ASSIGNEE(S): Fr.

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The use of polylysine for prepg. pharmaceutical compns. or combinations AB useful for treating neural degeneration, infectious, traumatic and toxic neuropathies, auto-immune degenerative diseases and proliferative diseases, is disclosed. Polylysine conjugates are also disclosed.

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2-Methoxyestradiol arrests cells in mitosis without TITLE:

depolymerizing tubulin

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The endogenous estrogen metabolite 2-methoxyestradiol (2-MeOE2) suppresses exptl. tumor growth in vivo and inhibits angiogenesis activity in vitro. Moreover, 2-MeOE2 has been obsd. to block mitosis in cell cultures. As high concns. of 2-MeOE2 prevent microtubule assembly in vitro, the mitotic arrest has been attributed to inhibition of tubulin polymn. Here we report that concns. of 2-MeOE2 that cause complete metaphasal arrest do not inhibit the assembly of mitotic spindles. contrast to the chromosomal dispersal seen in cells arrested by the tubulin depolymg. drug colcemid, the chromosomes of cells treated with 2-MeOE2 remained in the metaphasal plate indicating a functional defect of the mitotic spindle. The 2-MeOE2 arrest resembles those induced by compds. affecting microtubule dynamics such as taxol and vinblastine. 2-MeOE2 block is also similar to that induced by several anti-calmodulin agents. Given that metaphase to anaphase transition is a calmodulin-dependent step and our observation that 2-MeOE2 inhibits calmodulin activity in vitro, we suggest that the 2-MeOE2 metaphasal arrest may occur via inhibition of calmodulin.

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Inhibitors of angiogenesis in human urine

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A review with .apprx.50 refs. on the authors' work in screening urine of human subjects consuming a diet rich in plant products for anti-angiogenic compds. The authors identified the isoflavonoid genistein, the endogenous estrogen metabolite 2-methoxyestradiol and metabolites of flavonoids that show inhibitory activities against angiogenesis. Irresp. of whether or not these substances play any physiol. role in humans, they might be suitable as pharmacol. agents for treatment of solid malignant tumors and other angiogenic diseases.